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Filed : August 22, 2003 Group Art Unit: 1635  
For : CONTROL OF GENE EXPRESSION

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment to the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 has been previously established.

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Independent Claims	3 -	** 3 =	*** 0 X	\$105	\$210	=		0.00
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